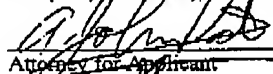


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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that the shortened statutory period which was set for responding to the Office Action mailed August 9, 2005, be extended for one (1) months until December 9, 2005. Credit Card Payment (Form PTO-2038) in the amount

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